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PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicants hereby petition that the period for response to the Office Action dated July 3, 2003, be extended for three months to and including Monday, January 5, 2004 (January 3, 2004, falls on a Saturday).

Enclosed is a check for \$475 for the required fee. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050, referencing Attorney Docket No. 08191-013001.

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